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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Kazunobu Kubota
Serial No.: 09/920,133
Filed : August 1, 2001
For : APPARATUS FOR AND METHOD OF PROCESSING AUDIO
SIGNAL
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Examiner : Minsun Harvey

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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant responds to the Office Action of June 20, 2003,
and to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of August 28,
2003 as follows.



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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below.
- ☐ Total claims in excess of ☐ previously paid for, at \$18 (\$9)
- ☐ Independent claims in excess of ☐ previously paid for, at \$84 (\$42)
- ☐ Additional Fee for this Amendment
- ☐ This Response is being filed within the ☐ first month, ☐ second month, ☐ third month, ☐ fourth month, ☐ fifth month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. Applicants Petition for an extension, and the fee of ☐ \$110 (\$55), ☐ \$400 (\$200), ☐ \$920 (\$460), ☐ \$1,440 (\$720), ☐ \$1,960 (\$980) is due and paid herewith.
- ☐ The fee of \$☐ set by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) for the Information Disclosure Statement is due and paid herewith.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$☐ is attached.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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